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Portage June 17. 96

Dear Louie. Mother continues to hold the gain she made after her first prostrating attack - eats pretty well & suffers only at times from shortness of breath but is still very weak & we are far from confident that she will ever be able to walk the streets again though we hope she may. If she is gaining from day to day it is so little as to be scarce appreciable.

We telegraphed for Dan but he could not come for want of money to buy a ticket! I sent it yesterday & we expect him tomorrow or next day & then he will probably stay a week or two & Mother will have the best of care & permit me

to go on to Cambridge.
 I mean to start tomorrow if
 mother is as well & hopeful as
 she is today. I fear I may not
 have money enough on account
 of unlooked for expenses, so
 you had better send \$100.00
 to Sarah with which to pay
 the return railway fares of
 Dan, Mary & her Helen. & a little
 more for Joanna who is sadly
 discouraged. Get a Wells Fargo
 note from Sherman, payable
 to Mrs David Galloway

Portage,

Wisconsin

This also is the P O address

I feel fairly well considering
 the case I am in & hope
 to get through the barrier

off in some hours.
 I expect a letter from Hannah in
 a week or two of your own this
 I perhaps I may get a letter this
 afternoon. When Dan comes Mother
 will have six of her eight children with
 her. How Hannah & Helen would enjoy the
 Joanna. Children & Helen stand at the bridge the
 morning the morning see all the corner of the
 house. I am to you all for the time
 (stand at my notes home)